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State

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Town or Vicinity

Structure Saint Mark's Episcopal Church (TEX-33)

307 E. Pecan St. Limestone ashlar, steep gable roof over nave, breaking to lesser pitch over the aisles; low buttresses; stone tracery in segmental pointed-arched windows. Unusual breadth and lightness in interior construction. Gothic Revival. Architect, Richard Upjohn. Construction began with cornerstone laying on December 22, 1859. Walls had reached a height of seven feet at the outbreak of the Civil War, which halted all work until (over)

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March 1873. The first services in the completed church were held on Easter Sunday, 1875. 4 ext. photos (1936); 3 data pages (1936); HABSI.

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